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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:)
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Igor V. Barsukov, et al.)
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Serial No: 09/865,207)
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Filed: May 24, 2001)
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Art Unit: 1754)
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Examiner: Stuart Hendrickson)
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For: METHOD OF PREPARING)
GRAPHITE INTERCALATION)
COMPOUNDS)

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 17 and 18.

1(previously presented). A method of preparing a graphite intercalation compound comprising:

providing graphite particles;

providing a plating barrel;

placing the graphite particles in the plating barrel;